

Elimination of limits on broadcast ownership will remove meaningful competition, and could also remove effective safeguards against corporate, national-level controls on news and other content with an intent to sway public opinion, and thus promote policies that may not be in the public's best interest.

With the homogenization of music at the national level by Clear Channel, and with efforts to control CNN news content at the corporate level, there is already evidence of this in the broadcast industry. Because of this, I urge the Federal Communications Commission to resist efforts to remove these safeguards.